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BY MGB RESIDENT IN SAN FRANCISCO (1944)

From: SAN FRANCISCO

To: MOSCOW

No. 343

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To SEMEN. [i]

Further to our telegram No. 195. "PETER" [ii] stated that VLADIVOSTOK [MGB Office] [a] gave SOSIN [iii] direct contact with PETER, telling him that PETER was our worker. I take it that this is a genuine breach of security. I have demanded from PETER a written statement on this question which I will send by post at the earliest opportunity.

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GIPT[DAR] [iv]

T.N.: [a] Inserted by translator.

Comments: [i] Unidentified cover-name.

[ii] Aleksandr Petrovich GRACHEV.

[iii] Veniamin Efremovich SOSIN.

[iv] Grigoriy Pavlovich KASPAROV, Soviet Vice-Consul in SAN FRANCISCO at that time.

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